

Pursuant to Section 25 of the Personal Information Protection act, the Illinois Labor Relations Board made the following report to the General Assembly on March 24, 2014:

The Personal Information Protection Act requires Central Management Services to notify you that a breach of security incident within Central Management Services, Labor Relations Division has occurred. Addresses and/or social security numbers that were contained in grievances files were inadvertently discarded in a dumpster by agency janitorial staff.

In addition to notifying the affected employees, we are providing them with the information and tools they need to protect themselves from being victims of identity theft. At present, there is no indication that they need to protect themselves from being victims of identity theft. Additionally, there is no indication that the release of information resulted in the theft of any personal identifying information.

Direction has been given to the janitorial staff, in order to avoid similar occurrences in the future.